

Amendments to the Specification:

If not already added, please add the following new paragraph at the top of page 1, line 4, just below the Title and above the current first paragraph:

This application is a 371 of PCT/US98/17769, filed 08/27/98, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No. 08/920,630, filed 08/27/97, now abandoned.

Please amend the Title of the specification as shown below:

ELONGATED CORTICAL BONE CERVICAL ~~SMITH-ROBINSON~~ FUSION IMPLANT